

## **Amendments to the Claims**

### **Listing of Claims**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Claim 1. (Original) A personal Interactive Voice Response (IVR) system comprising:

~~a plurality of an IVR servers~~ server communicating personal IVR service node information in a network;

a plurality of personal IVR service node clients in data communication with ~~coupled to the plurality of IVR servers~~ server and communicating the personal IVR service node information, each personal IVR service node client including

an application operable in conjunction with the personal IVR service node to allow a subscriber to create and modify custom operational features of the personal IVR service node to be used when handling received calls;

the plurality of personal IVR service node clients having a client – server relationship with the ~~plurality of IVR servers~~ server; and

facilities in communication with the IVR server for managing transmission of the personal IVR service node information using a Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) technology under control of the IVR server in response to personal IVR service node information communicated with a respective personal IVR service node client.

Claim 2. (Original) The personal IVR system of claim 1, further comprising:

a first computer readable program code to convert a voice input into a data input;

a data chunk containing an unprocessed volume of data generated by the first computer readable program code;

a plurality of voice coders to split the data chunk into a plurality of distinct data packets;

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a second computer readable computer program code to decide an order of packet transmission; and

a processor to execute the first and the second computer readable program code.

Claims 3-24 (cancelled)